<u>PATENT APPLICATION</u> IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Docket No.: X-160	29	

RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION SUBMITTED UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450

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Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the Office Communication dated 11 July 2008, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks.

In this Submission:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 14.

It is believed that no fees are due for this Submission. However, if this is in error, please provide any extensions of time that may be necessary and charge any fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 05-0840.